GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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CENTRAL ASSISTANCE FOR DRINKING WATER SUPPLY
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the State Government of Rajasthan has sought more Central assistance for strengthening drinking water supply in the State;and

(b) if so, the amount sanctioned by the Union Government for that purpose?

Answer

MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT(SHRI S.JAIPAL REDDY)

(a)&(b): Yes,Sir.Ministry of Urban Development has released a sum of Rs.22.38 crore towards first installment of Central Assistance for one water supply project at Udaipur town in Rajasthan under Urban Infrastructure Development Scheme for Small and Medium Towns (UIDSSMT).

Two projects of water supply for Ajmer & Pushkar in Rajasthan under Jawaharlal Nehru Urban Renewal Mission (JNNURM) have been sanctioned by the Ministry of Urban Development at an approved cost of Rs.355.15 crore with additional central assistance (ACA) of Rs.284.11 crore.ACA amounting to Rs. 75.49 crore has already been released to the State Government of Rajasthan.